## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

BRENDA MCKINNEY,	)
Plaintiff,	) )
v.	) No. 1:23-cv-01372-RLY-MJD
NATIONAL COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION,	) ) )
Defendant.	) )

## MINUTE ENTRY FOR FEBRUARY 2, 2024 TELEPHONIC STATUS CONFERENCE HON. MARK J. DINSMORE, MAGISTRATE JUDGE

The parties appeared by counsel for a Telephonic Status Conference. The parties discussed the status of and future plans for discovery. <sup>1</sup>

This matter is set for an **in person** Discovery Conference on **Friday**, **February 16**, **2024** at **9:00** a.m. (Eastern), in Room 277, United States Courthouse, 46 East Ohio Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, before Magistrate Judge Mark J. Dinsmore. The purpose of the conference is to address all discovery disputes then pending between the parties, including but not limited to the parties' dispute regarding the entry of an ESI protocol [*See* Dkt. 47 at 2-3]. Each party shall be represented at the conference by the counsel who intend to present this case at trial, as well as any other counsel or representatives, including client representatives, required to resolve any of the parties' pending discovery disputes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The parties are again reminded to ensure that paragraph 1 of their next Supplemental Joint Report on the Status of Discovery is limited to "[a] detailed description of all discovery completed **within the preceding 28 days**." [Dkt. 27 at 2 (emphasis added).]

The parties must satisfy their meet-and-confer requirements regarding all discovery disputes as required by Local Rule 37-1. *See Loparex, LLC v. MPI Release Tech., LLC*, No. 1:09-CV-1411-JMS-TAB, 2011 WL 1871167, at \*5 (S.D. Ind. May 16, 2011) (holding that "the local rule contemplates an actual meeting with a date, time, and place—whether by telephone, videoconference, or (if counsel's location permits) preferably face-to-face"). Therefore, to the extent necessary to satisfy their meet-and-confer requirements, counsel for the parties are ordered to conduct a proper meet-and-confer regarding their dispute on or before 10:00 a.m. (Eastern) on February 14, 2024. If after conducting a proper meet-and-confer the parties are able to resolve all pending disputes, then by 1:00 p.m. (Eastern) on February 14, 2024, the parties shall contact the Court to request that the discovery conference be vacated.

On or before **3:00 p.m.** (Eastern) on February **14, 2024**, the parties are to email the Court at MJDinsmore@insd.uscourts.gov, with a copy to each other, a brief outline of the disputes, their respective positions on the issue(s), the discovery requests and responses at issue (if any), and any other documents they would like the Court to review in advance of the conference.<sup>2</sup>

Dated: 2 FEB 2024

United States Magistrate Judge

Southern District of Indiana

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> If the parties' disputes regarding the ESI protocol have not been resolved, the parties shall forward to the Court by that date and time in Word format the current draft version of the ESI protocol, highlighting therein all disputed issues and including any alternative language proposed by any party. Counsel shall also bring with them to the conference any laptop computers or other equipment necessary to allow them to make any agreed or Court-ordered revisions to the protocol during the course of the conference.

## Distribution:

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